

DISCLOSURE DIVISION

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- ☒ **WAIVER REQUEST**
☐ **ANSWER**
☐ **RECONSIDERATION REQUEST**
☐ **UNTIMELY**

DATE: 6/26/2020

DOCKET #:

Ashley Wimberley, Director
Disclosure Division

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FILER INFORMATION

Name: Donna Ann Mabry
Address: 3636 Green Acres Place Dr #36, Bossier City, LA 71111
Office/Position: Mayors Commission for Women of Bossier City
Dates of Service: 2008-2017
Number of Disclosures and/or Amendments Filed with Agency: 10

REPORT INFORMATION

Name of Report: Tier 2.1 Annual Personal Financial Disclosure covering calendar year 2017
Report ID: PFD19008372
Original Due Date: 5/15/2018
NOD Received: 1/2/2019 - Signed by Donna Mabry
PFD/Answer Due Date based on NOD: 1/11/2019
PFD/Answer Filed: 6/14/2019

LATE FEE INFORMATION

Amount of Late Fee: \$1500
Days late from receipt of NOD: 154
Total days late from initial due date: 395
Late Fee Order Received: 5/19/2020
Payment/Waiver Request Due Date: 6/8/2020
Waiver Request Received: 5/27/2020

COMMENTS:

Donna Mabry is requesting a waiver for the late filing of her final Personal Financial Disclosure Statement. Ms. Mabry stated this late fee would create a financial hardship for her. She has served on the Commission for Women of Bossier City for almost 10 years; serving several years as an Officer, and has gladly volunteered her time to furthering education and causes affecting women and families in Bossier City. She has dutifully filed her annual disclosures for all the years she has been required to do so.

Ms. Mabry realizes that not responding to the notices was a huge error in judgement on her part. She did not respond to the subsequent letters issued by the Board of Ethics: Disclosure Division, because she "honestly thought" she had filed her 2017 disclosure during the May 2018 annual filing timeframe. Ms. Mabry humbly asks the Ethics Board to have mercy on her and consider waiving her \$1500 late fee assessment.

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OTHER LATE FEE INFORMATION

Disclosure Statements:

- Other Outstanding Statements: No
- Other Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No
- Reassessed Late Fees: No

Campaign Finance:

- Outstanding Late Fees: No
- Prior Late Fees: No

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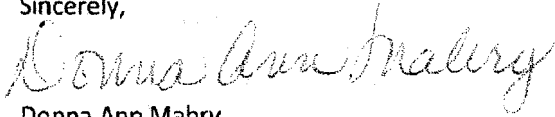
RE: Tier 2.1 Late Fee Assessment – Report: PFD19008372

To the Members of the Board of Ethics:

I have received letter from your department regarding assessment of \$1,500.00 fee for late filing of the required Financial Disclosure Statement for 2017. I am quite frankly stunned by the amount of the late fee, as it would create a financial hardship for me to be required to pay this amount. I served on the Commission for Women of Bossier City for almost 10 years, serving several years as an Officer, and gladly volunteered my time to furthering education and causes affecting women and families in Bossier City. I dutifully filed my Financial Disclosure statements for the years required to do so, which I considered a part of the responsibility of being an active member of the Commission. I honestly thought I had filed the 2017 Disclosure form by the end of May 2018, which I understand is the filing deadline and is also why I didn't respond to the subsequent letters from the Board of Ethics. I realize that not responding was a huge error in judgement on my part.

All I can do now is submit this letter and request a waiver of the late fee penalty and throw myself upon the mercy of the Board. I humbly ask that my request is approved at the next meeting of the Board.

Sincerely,


Donna Ann Mabry

VIA FAX TO: 225-381-7271